

Interview Summary

Application No.
09/317,807

Applicant(s)
Katz

Examiner
Stella Woo

Art Unit
2643



All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Stella Woo

(3) _____

(2) Reena Kuyper

(4) _____

Date of Interview Jul 1, 2002

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☐ Personal [copy is given to 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☒ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No. If yes, brief description:

Claim(s) discussed: N/A

Identification of prior art discussed:
None

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☒ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments:

Ms. Kuyper was informed that the the request for a CPA filed April 10, 2002 is not acceptable under 37 CFR 1.53(d)(1) because the filing date of the present application is December 18, 2000, which is after May 29, 2000. The improper request for a CPA is being treated as a request for continued examination under 37 CFR 1.114. However, the request lacks a submission as required by 37 CFR 1.114. Since the applicant has failed to timely provide a proper response to the final Office action mailed October 10, 2001, the application is abandoned. In addition, the final Office action mailed April 23, 2002 is vacated.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

i) ☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview (if box is checked).

Unless the paragraph above has been checked, THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN ONE MONTH FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.

Examiner Note: You must sign this form unless it is an Attachment to a signed Office action.

Examiner's signature, if required